

At the session this evening addresses will be made by William McKinley, speaker of the house; Barratt O'Hara, lieutenant governor, and Miss Jane Addams.

MRS. STEWART NOT CANDIDATE

Mrs. Ella S. Stewart today flatly denied that she was a candidate for the presidency of the Illinois Equal Suffrage Association.

"I had so much trouble resigning from that position, which I held for six years," she said, "that I have not the slightest desire to resume it. However, I expect to be a fighter in the ranks until the Illinois constitution is amended so women can vote on equal terms with men."

PROTECTIVE ASS'N OPENS WAR ON HOTEL EXCHANGE

The Juvenile Protective Ass'n has opened war on the Hotel Exchange, Van Buren street and Wabash avenue, owned by Thomas and Helen Newbold.

A demand upon Mayor Harrison to revoke the license of the place will be the outgrowth of the arrest of Grace Brown and Grace Conroy, two young girls, who with three other couples were arrested in the hotel by Officers Loos and Wraggie of the Juvenile Protective Ass'n staff.

It was charged at the trial before Judge Hopkins that the two girls solicited the officers on the street and after drinking with the policemen suggested that they take them to the Hotel Exchange.

"The Protective Ass'n has long known of the character of this place," said Mrs. Gertrude Howe Britton, head of the Juvenile Ass'n, "but hitherto we have been unable to strike a case strong enough to warrant asking the mayor to revoke the license."

"However, on October 30 Officers Loos and Wraggie were walking along the street when the two girls came up and asked them to buy a

drink. The men, hoping to get evidence on the girls, took them into a place and began ordering drinks. Then Mr. Loos called me up and reported the case. I suggested that he lead them on and I got in communication with Assistant Chief Schuetler, who detailed two of his men to trail the party.

"The girls led the men right to the Hotel Exchange. When they got inside they were arrested along with three other couples, who admitted they were not married. They were booked on a charge of being inmates of a disorderly resort. The girls, whom the officers had been with, were booked for soliciting.

"When the girls got to the station they wanted bonds and called up a telephone number which we later found out was the Hotel Exchange number.

The Newbolds are also owner of the Normandie Hotel, whose saloon license has just been revoked by the mayor. This is not the first time the Hotel Exchange has been mentioned in connection with this sort of a case.

When Judge Thos. F. Scully was a member of the city council he headed a committee, which investigated hotel licenses, and discovered in the course of his work that many of the underpaid working girls from Siegel-Cooper's and Rothschild's were bringing men to this hotel, then known as the Hotel Cecil, after their working hours.

Judge Hopkins has continued the present case until Nov. 13.

KILLED IN PULLEY SHAFT

The International "Harvesting Machine" ground up another human life yesterday when Wadislaw Nembelak, an employe of the Harvesting company plant at 120th street, near Racine av., was killed.

Nembelak was caught up and whirled around in a pulley shaft. He was badly mangled. He was 54 years old, married and lived at 12338 Par-nell avenue.